

Request to Correct Inventorship Pursuant to §1.48(b)

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Serial No.: 09/640,952

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For: EPHA2 AS A DIAGNOSTIC TARGET FOR METASTATIC CANCER (As Amended)

REMARKS

It is respectfully submitted that prosecution of the above-identified patent application has resulted in an election of claims, pursuant to a Restriction Requirement, such that fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed herein. It is respectfully requested, therefore, that Katherine E. Kilpatrick be deleted as an inventor in the above-identified patent application.

Katherine E. Kilpatrick was correctly named as a joint inventor pursuant to a Declaration and Power of Attorney mailed February 12, 2001, in the above-identified patent application. However, pursuant to a Restriction Requirement dated July 5, 2001, an election has been made such that the invention of which Katherine E. Kilpatrick is an inventor is no longer being claimed in the above-identified application. It is respectfully requested, therefore, that Katherine E. Kilpatrick be removed as a named inventor in the above-identified application.

A check for the processing fee in the amount of \$130.00 is attached for the correction of inventorship, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.48(b)(2) and 1.17(i). The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for this petition or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 13-4895.

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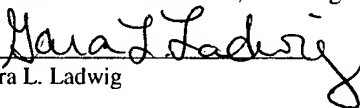
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As the change in inventorship occurred pursuant to prosecution of the above-identified application, it is respectfully requested that this request for change in inventorship be allowed. If a telephone conference would be of assistance, please contact the below-signed attorney at (612)305-1226.

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10:

The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR §1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.


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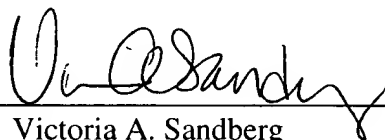
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